

ABRAHAM HITCHCOCK.

JANUARY 3, 1832.

Mr. HUBBARD, from the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, made the following

REPORT:

*The Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, to whom was referred the petition of Abraham Hitchcock, report:*

That it appears from the affidavit of the petitioner, that he enlisted into the continental service in the spring of 1780, and was attached to the quartermaster's department, under the command of Col. Hews; that he was stationed at King's Ferry, in the State of New York, and was employed at that place as a ferryman, until the close of the war, when he obtained an honorable discharge from said service; which facts are fully proved by the testimony of Cornelius Lambert, who testified that he was acquainted with the petitioner during the war of the revolution, and that he hath been acquainted with him ever since; and that he recollects that the petitioner did belong to the continental service, as set forth in his petition.

It also appears that the petitioner is 67 years of age, and that he is in indigent circumstances, and stands in need of the assistance of his country for support.

The committee are of opinion that the petitioner is entitled to a pension, and therefore report a bill.

